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## National Legislation Which Will Affect Nevada.

The Carson Free Lance says:

The House Committee on Commerce have just made a report in favor of abolishing the drummer license law. It is claimed that this tax discriminates against citizens and products of other States, and further that it is in conflict with the Constitution of the United States. For some time this bill has been in contemplation. The ground work is well laid. If to secure its passage money is needed money will be used. From a member of the U. S. Drummers Association (an organization of about 300,000 members) some weeks ago we learned that this bill would be pushed through both houses by hook or crook; that Randall, of Pennsylvania, would be its champion in the House, and Logan, of Illinois, in the Senate. As the Drummers Association represents several hundreds of millions of dollars this bill is certain to attract general attention.

The bill seriously affects the financial interests of Nevada. The telegraphic dispatches indicate that the chief objection to this legislation on the part of some of the States is that it discriminates against the citizens and products of other States. This law in Nevada, however, makes no such discrimination. Among the business men of this State who have taken out a license are Gallatin & Folsom, of Reno, T. R. McGurn and A. Laigneau, of Virginia City. But we understand that the Drummers' Association had in view Nevada when this bill was drawn, and there is no doubt that it is the aim of the movement to nullify in some way Nevada's drummer law as well similar laws in other States. Should this bill pass there will be no more collection of license from drummers, and probably none from insurance agents, as insurance is similar in its methods of business. There are in this State about forty insurance companies, each of these companies paying annually a license of \$100, or a total of \$4,000. There are about 80 firms from other States represented here by drummers, each firm paying on an average \$125 per annum or a total of \$10,000. The total annual revenue of the State from these sources then is not less than \$14,000. Controller Hallock, the watch dog of the Treasury, has written to Congressman Woodburn explaining what effect the passage of the bill would have on Nevada and urging him to do all in his power to defeat the measure.

What was left of the Restriction act by the interpretations of Republican officials is rapidly being cleared away by their Democratic successors. English statesmen have envied our possession of a Supreme Court, which could declare a law void, but the court appears to be a superfluity when the Secretary of the Treasury can repeal a statute by the simple process of declaring that every time the word "no" occurs it shall be construed to mean "yes." The latest triumph of Treasury exegesis is the decision that the Restriction act does not apply to Chinese sailors. Of course, there is not a word in the law that gives the slightest basis for such an interpretation, and it is equally open to the department to rule that bondsmen are entitled to enter.—S. F. Post.

Bradley B. Smalley of the National Democratic Executive Committee, and Collector of the Port of Burlington, says that President Cleveland will be renominated and that he will be heartily supported by the party. And we believe it, and further, that his course will by that time have so recruited the party's ranks that the nomination will be equivalent to election.—Alta.

The new map of Ormsby county ordered by the Commissioners is suspended in the Clerk's office. It was gotten up by Messrs. Bence and Chalmers and reflects great credit on the skill of those gentlemen. All the Government land is displayed as that owned or claimed by individuals. As a general reference the map is invaluable.—Carson Tribune.

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Governor A. P. Swineford, of Alaska, is in Washington. The primary object of his visit is to communicate an engagement of marriage between himself and a Washington lady.

A convention of wool growers of Utah, Idaho, Wyoming and Western Colorado was held at Salt Lake Monday. A memorial to Congress and strong resolutions were adopted, protesting against wool being on the free list.

The President has withdrawn the nomination of Warren Green, now acting as Consul General at Japan. The reasons given for this action are based upon certain scenes which took place around the card table since Green's appointment, and in which he was concerned.

The San Francisco Post says the Treasury is saved again. Postmaster General Vilas has issued an order providing that retiring Postmasters shall not use official envelopes in forwarding their final statements to the department, but shall prepay postage. Thus the Government makes four cents on every Postmaster removed.

For a Commission of Labor Arbitration, provided Congress adopt the President's suggestions, Senator Beck proposes ex-Senators Thurman, McDonald and Conkling, at \$10,000 a year each. It is not generally known in this country, but it is nevertheless the fact, that the voluntary arbitration system in England has frequently called into council statesmen, retired and active, as exalted as the three named by Beck.

The bill for a new Federal Judicial district in California is now before the Senate Committee on the Judiciary. Edmunds, the Chairman of the Committee, is opposed to the bill. Representative Markham has undertaken the almost hopeless task of carrying the measure through the Senate in the face of the opposition of Edmunds. He had a long conference with Stanford Tuesday in regard to the matter. Stanford is heartily in favor of the bill. Sherman is also of the opinion that the new Judicial district should be established. If the bill is put through it will be by a close vote and the result of hard work.

There is one point on which the laws with reference to the confirmation of officials by the Senate are decidedly deficient, and that is in the absence of a provision under which the President be required to make new appointments whenever the Senate refuses to confirm officials appointed. Pillsbury and Chase, Custom house officials appointed in New England were refused confirmation by the Senate, yet they are still discharging the duties of their offices, and enjoying their emoluments, the President having neglected to submit new appointments. This is a direct affront to the Senate, but it seems there is no redress under the law.

The popularity of Mr. Cleveland not only remains unshaken, but is constantly gaining ground. The Democrats recognize in him a strong, fearless, prudent leader, who puts into practice the true principles of Democracy, says the Albany Argus, and presents to the nation the unaccustomed example of a Chief Magistrate's adherence to ante-election promises, reform and honesty. There will be always clamor in interested quarters against such a course, but it will be drowned in the mighty voice of the American people proclaiming their indorsement of such a faithful, steadfast servant.

No person in this county wants an office; no position is worth having; but, rather than have the positions go begging, there are as many as half a dozen mortals after the same office.—Pioche Record.

Hon. Wm. Stewart is now well settled in his new home in Carson where he expects to remain permanently until the people of this State send him to the United States Senate.—Free Lance.

Tariff Revision.

A Washington dispatch says Morrison becomes more and more indignant as he is importuned to further modify his tariff bill by striking out all reference to wool, and with impatience replies to such suggestions by saying that if he were to strike out wool there would be nothing left of his bill. There is no doubt that the opposition to the measure is steadily growing. Intimations of breaks in this and that Democratic delegation continue to manifest themselves. The former everywhere are being aroused to the necessity of defeating the effort to destroy one of the most important industries in connection with agriculture. The agitation of the matter is having its effect throughout the country in all branches of business, and members of Congress are urged by their constituents to do what they can to defeat Morrison's design. There are now upon the Speaker's list of members who desire to debate the bill the names of upwards of seventy-five, and it is more than probable that the number will be greatly swelled before the end of the month, when it is the intention to call up the bill. It is a question as to whether or not those who are opposed to the bill can prevent its consideration, but strenuous efforts will be made to do so, and probably, if members can find some way to have their speeches printed, the opposition will be able to master their full strength. But Morrison and Carlisle take the ground that the Democratic party is pledged to reduce the tariff, and they will not desist until they have exhausted every effort to do so.

Rights of the Majority.

A New York Tribune's editorial says: The persons now striking are not one in one hundred of the workers in the United States, but the remaining ninety-nine must be affected by their action. If wheels are to run or hands to continue an essential part of work only eight hours daily, the rest in the same establishment must be cut down to eight hours also, whether they wish it or not. Thus a part propose to dictate the hours of labor to the rest. As to the larger class, who now work ten hours and do not strike or propose any change, they are to be compelled to receive less for their products, and the loss in wages now by the enforcement of the eight-hour industry will be felt more than ever; all this in order that the eight-hour workers shall have more leisure. But has the one-hundredth part of the laborers of the United States the right, if they have the power, thus to extort whatever they please from the rest? If not, this is another case of despotism of the few over the many.

Stanford's Sale.

New York, May 5th.—The trotting stock bred and owned by Leland at his farm in California was sold to-day at auction in this city. Horsemen from all parts of the country were in attendance. The programme embraced several fine trotters and they brought good prices. All the animals sold were sired by Electioneer and came from the best blood in the country. The sale will continue to-morrow. Among the animals sold were a bay filly, Verioa, for \$2,350; Wamba, foaled in 1884, for \$2,450; a brown filly foaled in 1884, out of Juliet, for \$1,000; a bay gelding, Tehama, foaled in 1883, \$3,025; a bay filly, Lira, foaled in 1884, \$3,200; a bay colt, foaled in 1885, \$1,800. The sale thus far has realized \$46,855, an average of nearly \$1,000 per head.

General Black Denies an Absurd Telegraphic Report.

It having been telegraphed from Atlanta that General Black, Pension Commissioner, made a speech at the dedication of the Ben. Hill monument in Atlanta and sentiments of a kind to excite dissent having been published as extracts from his speech on that occasion, an Alta reporter Monday sought out the Pension Commissioner and asked him if he had attended the Hill dedication and if he had made a speech there. His reply was as prompt as it was emphatic. He said: "No, I was at work in my office pensioning veterans." So it appears to be a case of mistaken identity. The General J. C. Black who spoke at Atlanta is not General J. C. Black, the Pension Commissioner.

CALIFORNIA APPOINTMENTS.

Objections to the Confirmation of Two Nominations.

WASHINGTON, May 3d.—The Senate Committee on Commerce has notified Henley that it will hear him in defense of Tinnin on Thursday. A vote will probably be taken on the nomination after Henley gets through, as that is all that committee is now waiting for. Jones, of Nevada, is on that committee. He says he proposes to vote for Tinnin's confirmation. Jones, of Florida, is also on the committee. His absence makes the committee stand seven Republicans and five Democrats. Jones, of Nevada, voting with the Democrats will tie the committee, if the other members vote on party lines, as they probably will. An effort will be made to bring out all the Democrats at the meeting of the committee when the vote is to be taken. It is thought that Jones, of Florida, should be paired with some Republican on the committee, and Henley tried to get him a pair to-day. If this can be done the vote of Jones, of Nevada, will give the friends of Tinnin a majority of one on the committee.

Another California appointment is being opposed in the Senate. A charge has been made against Sylvester Hull, who was appointed last Summer Register of the Land Office at Shasta. It is asserted that at the end of his term as Sheriff of Shasta he forcibly resisted the occupancy of the office by his successor. It is charged that he barricaded his office, and had his deputies armed to prevent his successor from taking the office. It will be remembered that the whole trouble grew out of a difference in construing the new Constitution. Hull was advised by Olay M. Taylor, who afterwards got Hull appointed Register. The Committee on Finance has notified Henley that he can have an opportunity to be heard on the charge. It is regarded as quite serious by the committee.

A Dangerous Element.

The New York Sun says editorially: The great agitation and demonstration which began in Chicago Saturday has one element of danger which may yet prove serious. All the workmen engaged in it who are thoroughly assimilated with America understand the importance of maintaining peace and avoiding violence, seeking order, quiet and earnestness. These are the men who make strikes formidable and often successful, for their manly conduct and self-restraint win the sympathy of the public. But there is in Chicago a large foreign population whose understanding of free government seems to be unlimited license to exercise tyranny over their employers and their fellow employees. There are many pestilent fellows in Chicago who love to gasonade about the gospel of fire, murder and anarchy; who are ready to take advantage of any public excitement to excite to riot and incendiarism. These fellows are really not so formidable as they would have people believe; but when there is any prospect of disorder they are sure to be found, if they think there is no danger, among the professional criminals and loafers who are merely waiting for some outbreak to take a hand at plundering.

The Land Laws.

Senator Dolph has made a thorough study of the land laws of the country, and he is regarded in the Senate as authority on that subject. He has proposed the most important measures relating to land that have been brought forward this session. Monday he introduced a bill which changes the whole system of law in regard to the public domain. His bill repeals all laws providing for pre-emption of public lands, and also repeals the law allowing entries for timber culture. His bill, however, does not effect any valid rights accrued or to accrue. His new measure modifies the desert-land laws so that the settler on desert land has to irrigate it within three years after filing on it. The section of his bill which provides for taking up mountain land allows settlers 320 acres each. The bill is quite voluminous, and is the most elaborate and carefully prepared revision of the present law that has yet been presented.

Col. Lamont authorizes a positive denial of the statement that Mr. Manning has ever hinted at resignation.

FOR THE NORTH.

The Bear Mails for a Cruise in the Arctic.

The United States Revenue Cutter Bear left San Francisco Monday at noon, for a cruise in the Arctic. The vessel has been thoroughly overhauled, the machinery repaired, decks recaulked, and hull cleaned and painted. She is provisioned for a six months' voyage, and is in an excellent condition for a northern cruise. She is ordered north with instructions to cruise for a time among the seal islands and protect the interests of the fur companies during the season devoted to the killing of seals. One of the most important objects of the voyage will be the search for the crew of the Amethyst. That vessel was last seen in October, 1885, off Cape Lisburne, and Captain Healey entertains the opinion that there is a possibility that some of the men of the ill-fated vessel may still be living. Captain Healey has orders to bring Lieutenant Stoney and his surviving party back on the Bear when she returns to San Francisco in October. The Bear will take up a bag of mail for the Stoney party, and will, if possible, forward it to its destination. Lieutenant Stoney went to Alaska early last Summer to explore the Putnam river. The vessel carries forty men and nine officers, ranking as follows: M. A. Healey, Captain; O. C. Hamlet, First Lieutenant and Executive Officer; T. H. Benham, Second Lieutenant and Navigating Officer; F. M. Dunwood, Third Lieutenant; C. A. Kennedy, Third Lieutenant and Photographer; T. L. Carroll, Surgeon and Physician; A. L. Churchill, Chief Engineer; A. Hassle, First Assistant Engineer; Paul Barnes, Second Assistant Engineer.

THE PARTY BEFORE THE MAN.

The Carson Appeal says:

As the time approaches for the struggle of next Fall, wire polling for the Senatorship has already begun and is taking up the time and attention of numberless politicians all over the State. All political combinations are being made with this end in view, and in the desire to elect this and that man, the general welfare of the party is lost sight of.

The Appeal believes that the welfare of the Republican party in this State is of more immediate consequence than the political ambitions of any one man. While the friends of each man are traveling about the State to assist their choice, would it not be well, first, to take into consideration the fact that before a Republican Senator can be elected to succeed Fair it will require a Republican Legislature.

The Legislature must be elected before the Senators. It should also be well understood that any plan by which the people can express a direct choice, cannot be put in practice without changing the Constitution of the United States. We can only express our wishes through the Legislature.

There are now before the public Daggett, Stewart, Wren and Pawning. It is folly for any one of these men to go into the other man's camp and try to undermine him. Let them all contribute to help elect a regular Republican ticket and when a Republican majority is secured in the Legislature it will not take long to settle the question of what man they want.

If the four candidates begin to cut each other's throats the result will be simply that Fair will succeed himself, as his managers will not be slow to avail themselves of any discords in the Republican party. Let the voters bear in mind that the party should be before the man.

The Recent Republican Gathering.

The New York Herald's Washington special says: Blaine was invited by William Walter Phelps to be present at the dinner which he gave to the most noted Republican leaders in Washington, last Thursday. Blaine declined, giving as a reason that he did not desire to come to Washington this year. He may spend a part of next Winter here, but even that is not certain. Phelps' dinner brought together a number of inharmonious elements in the party. It now appears that the dinner was given more for the purpose of bringing about harmony than with the idea of carrying out any particular plan in the future.

There is a good deal of confidence among politicians that this State will go Republican this Fall but it will not do so unless there is organization and intelligent effort. There has been no good done yet at all, and much harm, by rival candidates pulling at each other. The forces should be organized and the battle begun.—Gazette.

A HUMBOLDT STOCK RANCH.

Fine Stock, Broad Meadows and a Palatial Residence.

The Silver State says: A year ago, H. J. Pratt, Superintendent of the Jordan Valley Stock Company purchased the meadow lands of Ritchie & Barnum and James Farrell, which are situated on the Little Humboldt, in EDEN VALLEY.

This valley is separated from Paradise by a range of mountains, the south end of which terminates in rolling hills, through which the Little Humboldt winds its way into the lower end of Paradise Valley, and with Cottonwood, Martin Creek and other mountain streams, overflow a part of the valley in the Spring, making a broad expanse of fine meadow land. A three hours' ride with an average team takes one from Paradise village to Eden Valley. The road leads by the hot springs on the Little Humboldt, which even in this country of thermal waters, attracts the notice of the traveler. It is situated, as nearly all hot springs are, on a mound covered with alkali white as snow and caustic as potash. The spring is twelve or fourteen feet in diameter, and surrounded by a rim of stone which rises from one to four feet above the ground, giving it the appearance of a huge cauldron, inside of which the water boils and bubbles, and through an opening in which it escapes in a rivulet, which empties into the Little Humboldt. This rock-rim was doubtless made when the spring was a geyser, the water evaporating and leaving the mineral matter which it held in solution. The valley opens a few miles above the hot spring, and stretches away east and north, to the range which separates it from Clover and Squaw Valleys.

THE STOCK COMPANY'S RANCH.

Extends along the Little Humboldt through the valley a distance of eighteen miles. There are some fine meadow and pasture lands along the stream, and a strip of the bottom twelve miles long and a mile and a half wide is enclosed by a strong barbed-wire fence. At the base of the hills which skirt the valley on the west, and within a few hundred yards of the stream, Mr. Pratt has built a palatial residence, which is conceded to be the largest and finest dwelling house in the county. The walls are built of a grayish-colored stone, resembling marble, which is quarried from the hills a few miles from the house. The house is two stories high and elegantly furnished, and it has been appropriately named the "Marble Palace."

There is also on the ranch quarters for the employes, storehouse, etc., built of the same material, besides a blacksmith shop, stables and sheds of lumber. Trees have been set out along the stream in the vicinity of the house, and an alkali flat has been converted by soil from the hills into a vegetable garden, in which onions, peas and other hardy vegetables, are growing luxuriantly.

STOCK AND HAY.

Last year, which was the first under Mr. Pratt's superintendence over 1,000 tons of hay was stacked on the place, and Mr. Pratt expects, when improvement in the way of drainage and irrigation, now contemplated, are completed, to stack 2,000 tons of hay annually besides raising a hundred or more acres of alfalfa. The company own at present about 6,000 head of cattle, besides a number of horses. A part of the cattle are kept on their Jordan Valley ranch, from which they are driven in the Fall to the Home ranch in Eden valley to be fattened for market. In addition to the meadow and pasture land there is a large outside range for stock, which makes it one of the choicest ranches for stock raising in the county.

Senator Sherman made a good point in his comment on Jeff Davis' speeches when he said that the significant feature of the reception of the ex Confederate leader was the feeling with which the Southern people received him. They evidently do not regard him as the relic of another age, whose ideas of States' rights and secession are as hopelessly antiquated as the feudal system. If we are to judge by the reports which we have received he is revered as a statesman from whose mouth fall words of wisdom. It is the inclination of such absurd ideas as Davis holds which prevents the South from reaping the benefit of the lessons of war. So long as the women of the South teach their children that the "lost cause" is holy and was lost through misfortune and not through its own inherent rottenness, there will be little prospect of a new generation equal to the material tasks before it.—S. F. Chronicle.

A GOOD SCHEME.—The Southern Pacific Company has under consideration a plan to run a train during this Summer, after June 1st, that will give a chance for a daylight trip through the Sierras. The train that leaves here about noon will probably run to Truckee, arriving there just at dark and passing Summit about sunset. The return trip will probably begin at 8 o'clock in the morning and connection be made here with the San Francisco train. If the plan be accepted, there will probably be some "observation cars" in the train, of cars that are open but sheltered for the benefit of sightseers.—Sac. Bee.

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

THURSDAY.....MAY 6, 1886.

**BREVITIES.**

C. T. Bender is at the Bay.  
Cold, windy and raw day yesterday.  
Alvaro Evans returned from Vermont last night.

Jimmy Borland, of Martinez, was in town yesterday.

Master Mechanic Gregg was up from Wadsworth yesterday.

Jas. T. Davis came down from the Mound House last night.

Manager McInnis, of the Reno Laundry, is the busiest man in town.

Chapley Alexander and J. Evans, of the northern country, are in town.

A. C. Cleveland, the King of the Lobby, returned from Carson last night and continued on to the Bay.

The pay-rolls of mills engaged in crushing Comstock ore will swell the total sum disbursed to employees during the month of April to \$215,000.

Dr. J. W. Oliver went to San Francisco on the evening train last night. He has been quite ill for the past week, suffering from acute inflammation of the eyes.

Articles of incorporation of the Willow Creek Silver Mining Company were filed last week at the office in Carson by Colonel M. N. Stone. The mine is situated near Steamboat.

The steam laundry is receiving washing from Rye Patch, Lovelocks, and other places along the railroad. Nineteen persons are now employed and they can hardly handle the washing as fast as it comes in.

Number 84 was the winning number for the lady's gold watch which was raffled off at Thyes' saloon Tuesday evening for the benefit of Mt. St. Mary's Academy. The holder of the above number can receive the watch by presenting their ticket to Mother Dolores at the Academy.

Robert McBeth, once a prominent candidate before the Democratic Convention for Lieutenant Governor of this State and an ex-Sheriff of Humboldt county, as well as Senator in the Legislature and a very successful pioneer in the mining industries of Lander county is said to be lying at the point of death in Galena.

Bank Commissioner Cassidy expects to leave Washington for the West about the 10th instant, but having to stop in Colorado for four or five days he will hardly arrive on the Base Range before the 25th. Mrs. Cassidy, though improved in general health, has been advised by her physician to remain in Washington this Summer.

**Report of Nevada State Prison for April, 1886.**

Number of prisoners on hand March 31st, 132; received during April, 2; discharged, 1; on hand April 30th, 133. Average number of prisoners for the month, 133 8-30.

Salaries of officers and guards, \$1,530 79; other expenses, \$1,239 88; total expenses for April, \$2,770 67.

Boot and shoe shop—manufactured, \$1,089 92; sold, \$1,010 34. Collected and paid into Treasury, \$605 41.

**APPOINTED COMMISSIONER.**—James Ritchie, of Paradise, has been appointed County Commissioner of Humboldt by Governor Adams, to fill the vacancy created by the death of C. A. Nichols. The Governor was governed in making the appointment by the choice of the people of Paradise and vicinity, as manifested by petitions, and as Mr. Ritchie had many more signers to his petitions than any other person recommended for the position, he was awarded the prize.

**THE PALACE.**—This popular saloon, kept by Al White, keeps up its lick in favor of the general public. He makes the genuine St. Louis beer a specialty, and has a good run on that, to say nothing of the other choice beverages which the neatly kept bar is stocked. He also has as good cigars as can be found, comfortable club and reading rooms, and altogether the Palace is one of the pleasantest social resorts in town.

**THE RENO LAUNDRY.**—The Enterprise says: "The new steam laundry at Reno is now completed, and was expected to be in full and successful operation on Monday. An Enterprise representative who visited it on Sunday, found it to be one of the most complete and best arranged establishments of the kind on the Pacific Coast. The revolving washer, which first receives the dirty clothes, is a very effective starter in the process. The rinsing tanks are near by, and thence the clothes are placed in the wringer, which is a circular affair whirling like chain-lightning, and sending the water out of the clothes by centrifugal force, avoiding all tearing or twisting as by the ordinary methods. The drying-room is full of barred-frames on which to hang the clothes, the heat being supplied by a system of steam pipes. These frames are made to run in and out with iron trucks as occasion requires, and when all are in place their outer ends form a complete enclosing wall, keeping in all the heat. From the drying frames the clothes pass to the ironing tables, the smoothing irons being heated on a broad, flat furnace table near by.

Everything throughout is exceedingly well and most conveniently arranged. The motive power required is furnished by a neat little upright engine of ten-horse power, and a single boiler furnishes all the steam required. The dark flashing waters of the beautiful Truckee river flowing past the rear end of the laundry is freely utilized for the water supply and general utility, convenience and the economy of labor are the prevailing features, the idea being to do a vast amount of washing at the cheapest possible rates. As a security against fire a small, very neat and very powerful force pump is situated beside the boiler which will throw water through a hose to any required height. Altogether the Reno steam laundry is a model concern and should be well patronized unless the charges are more than people can afford who have home resources in that respect."

**PROF. HAMILL.**—The eloquent entertainment at the theater last night attracted many of the University students, a large number from Bishop Whitaker's school, and quite a following from our High School, besides teachers and others interested in Reno's educational advancement. Prof. McCammon introduced Prof. Hamill, who prefaced his recitations by endeavoring to impress upon all the importance of teaching elocution in the schools, claiming that the eloquent delivery of great thoughts was lavishly paid for by the American public. The Professor then recited "The Raven," "Betsy and I Are Out" and its answer "How Betsy and I Made Up," "The Bells," "The Blacksmith's Story," a funny story about a small Arkansas boy, "The Vagabond," closing by giving the banquet scene from Hamlet. The audience enjoyed the treat, and upon Friday evening of next week the Professor will again be greeted by a crowded house.

**REDUCTION WORKS AT RENO.**—The Austin Reville says:

According to the Gazette of Reno that thriving burg is moving again in the matter of a reduction works. How the people of Reno can sit idly by and neglect this the golden day of their opportunity is a mystery to any one who wishes her well. Reno ought to be the industrial centre of this State. She has water power, the best body of productive soil contiguous to her site of any city in the State, the cheapest lumber and fuel market and the centre of the railroad system. To act as they do relative to the question of ore reduction is to pluck out their right eye. They had better give the Central Road exemption from taxation through the city limits in exchange for low tariff freight rates than to pursue their present course.

**THE HINDLEY MINE.**—The Carson Tribune says:

This wondrous discovery of mineral bearing ore lies 22 miles east of Hawthorne in the Garfield District. The ledge is immense and the ore almost pure silver in spots; no test yet made has gone below \$400 to the ton and in some instances to almost fabulous amounts. The mine is owned mainly by W. W. Byron, Rubenston, W. J. Douglas and Henry Cobb, of Dayton, with some Hawthorne gentlemen, and during the last week the company were offered \$200,000 for the property, which was refused. Mr. Byron was in town yesterday and says that he is as sure of becoming a millionaire as that he would inhabit the kingdom of heaven after leaving this mundane sphere.

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